

A lot of Germans you will find  
Who play the good old game,  
And here and there, unless you're blind,  
You'll find an Irish name.



## A Player Who Was at the Zoo and Saw a Serpent Smile, Struck Out Three Times and Kicked the Ball a Mile



And in these days of war's unrest  
While aiming at the platter,  
A German pitcher tries his best  
To tan an Irish batter.

## MACK INTENDS TO KEEP LAJOIE; SAYS VETERAN'S VALUABLE

Manager of Athletics, Far From Sending Lajoie To the Minors, Thinks He is Good Coach For the Youngsters; Gangel Has Nothing To Do But To Draw His Pay; The Dodgers Are a Veteran Team.

BY FRANK G. MENKE.

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—Napoleon Lajoie isn't going to be shooed off to the Athletics bench for some little while, nor is he going to be shunted off to the minors. Connie Mack says so.

"Lajoie is better right now than any man I could play at second," declared the Athletics leader. "He is playing a steady game and his presence in my infield is just what I need. A man like Lajoie is invaluable to a manager who is trying to build a new infield."

"Lajoie is good for several more years as a big leaguer and I am going to keep him in the game."

**Gangel Just Lobs.**  
John Gangel is getting \$1200 per month for loafing—but John isn't wildly happy about it.

"I've spent every summer of my adult life working—and I can't get quite used to this taking it easy idea," says John. "I'd like to handle a ball club again."

John managed the Rochester Internationals until along toward the latter part of the 1915 season. Then Les McGee quit his job as pilot of the Brooklyn Feds and the Ward family hired John at \$1800 per season.

**Sees Dead Contract Lives.**  
The Feds are no more—but that contract is.

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## MEDICOS AGAIN ARMY WINNERS

Koresel Blanks the R. I. Artillery; 23rd Infantry Springs Surprise.

BY TOM CLIMENTS.

Two interesting games filled the Army league program at the Rio Grande park, Monday, and resulted with several changes of positions in the standing. The first game was between the Hospital Corps and Battery "A," Rhode Island Field Artillery, the former winning, 4 to 6. Koresel, pitching for the Hospital, held the artillerymen to two hits and walks but one man, although he had, on Sunday, pitched a victory for the Krachjacks in the Commercial league.

McLeod also did good work for his team, the Medicos taking seven hits and two walks off him. The Artillery's single hope of scoring came in the fifth inning when Thomas knocked a three-bagger. There were two out at the time, however, and the next man, McLeod, struck out, so Thomas died on third, and with him, all hopes.

The score:  
Hospital Corps—AR R H PO A E  
Pitcher, 4 1 0 0 0 0  
Lansbury, 2d, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Bliss, 3d, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
O'Brien, 1st, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Koresel, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Thomas, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Summers, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Koresel, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Woodward, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Parks, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Reedley, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Manning, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Totals, 28 4 21 7 1

R. I. Artillery—AR R H PO A E  
Pitcher, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Cedarholm, 2d, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Solomon, 3d, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Ryan, 1st, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Jeffrey, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Hetherman, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
McCam, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Hetherman, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
McLeod, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Baldock, 4 0 1 0 1 0  
Totals, 28 0 21 7 1

**23rd Takes a Brace.**  
The second game of the day, between the First Pennsylvania Field Artillery and the 23rd U. S. Infantry was taken by the latter after going an extra inning with a score of 8 to 7.

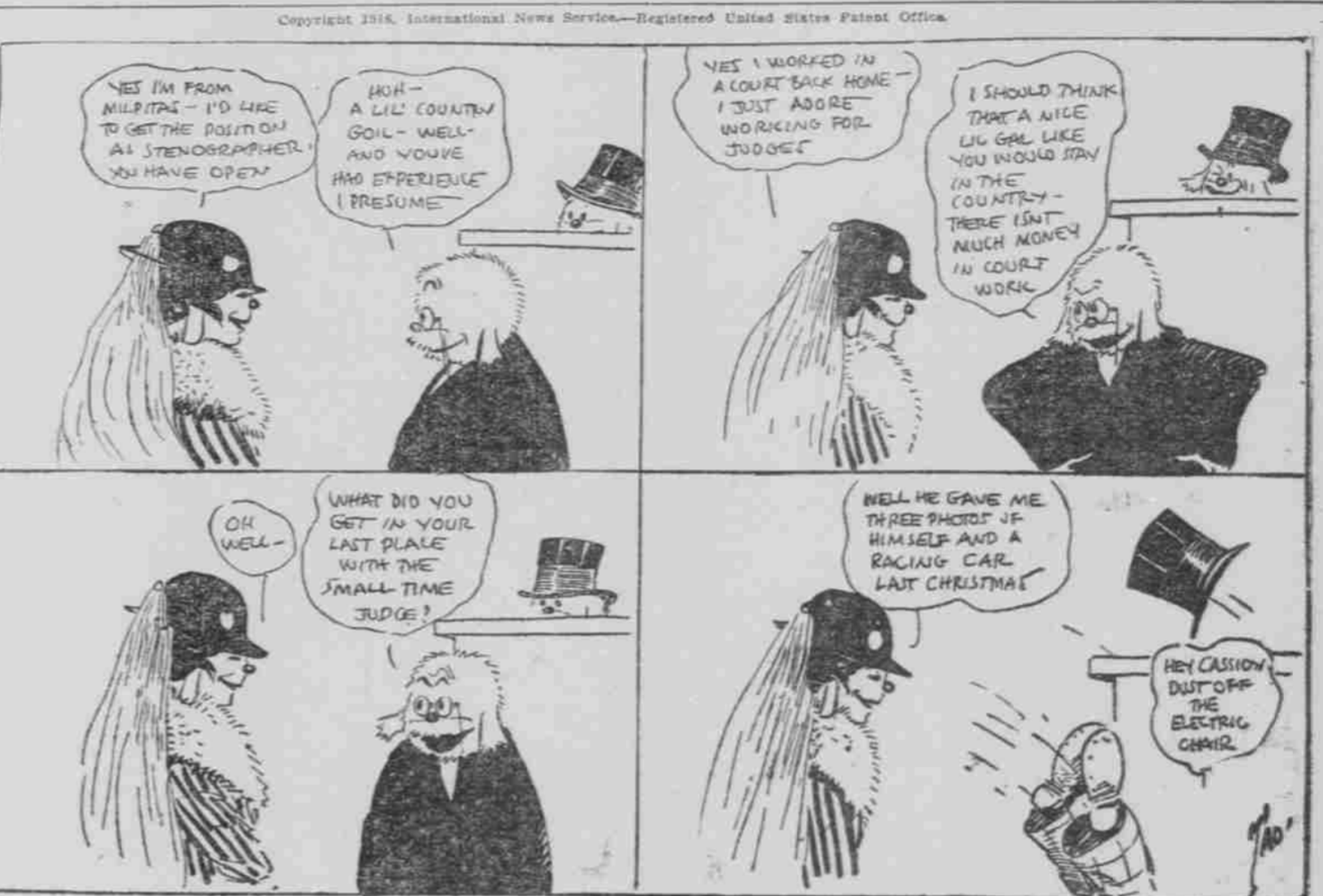
This game, while also rather slow, was a good deal more exciting than the first, and was well played. Up to the fourth inning it had looked rather gloomy for the Infantry, but in that inning things began to pick up. The bases were filled by an error and two walks, and then pitcher Smith came to bat and hit out a three-bagger into right field, bringing in the three men. After that it seemed to be the regular thing to fill the bases and excitement was at a high pitch.

The artillerymen scored four more.

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## OLD JUDGE RUMHAUSER

BY TAD



## Britons Are Boxing, Despite the War Australia Is Liked By U. S. Fighters

BY T. S. ANDREWS.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 12.—The boxers are keeping themselves very busy over in England at the present time. I have just received a letter from one of the prominent sporting men, in which he gives the following gossip regarding the doings of the box:

"It seemed like old times to watch Owen Moran in action the other night against Billy Marchant. The latter was not satisfied with the ending of the bout, and he demanded another match, which has been given to him by Owen. They are to meet for 15 rounds at catchweights, some time during September. Moran had another fight against Jim Barry at New Castle. He went the entire distance of 25 rounds and was surprised at the form shown by Moran. It looks as though he is making a real come back.

"Toddler Corri, one of the sons of Eugene Corri, the referee, has entered the navy as midshipman.

**Wells to Fight Dick Smith.**  
"Bomber Wells, the heavy weight champion, has agreed to give Dick Smith another chance at the title, and the two are to be matched for \$2500, a side bet and the championship belt. Wells has been showing very good form of late, due a great deal to his quickness.

"I witnessed a contest about a week ago between Handman Rice and Harry Giron. It was a splendid contest, but Rice was too clever for the big fellow and won the decision after 20 rounds of fighting.

"I was received here the other day that Constant Mueyette, a well known French boxer who has appeared here many times, was sent over to France and the has been sent over to England to be nursed.

**More British Routs.**  
"New Castle seems to have quite a number of fights lately and Nicol Brady and Arthur Peans fought last night. Evans, winning in the fifth round. Mat Brooks, who has been to New York for several fights, and also Alec Lafferty who recently lost to New York, fought a 20 round battle at Chelmsford. Lafferty getting the decision. I understand that Lafferty may return to the states and try to get on a match with some of your best featherweights. Dal Roberts, a very clever Welshman, defeated last week Morland in 20 rounds. Last week Roberts was very clever and had all the best of the contest. Young Lippo, who has been in the game here for a number of years, and who was supposed to have retired two years ago, made his reappearance in the ring against Bob Cotton in a 15 round contest. It resulted in a draw.

**Fight Back of Lines.**  
"Many of the boys who are at the front have been engaging in contests over in France, some of them with the French boys. They held a tournament at a point back of the lines and the result was a very good fight, ten rounds each. Some very good fights resulted and it is not necessary to say that they were very close.

**Fighters Like Australia.**  
"Bert Connors, the Denver manager of boxers, who with his club of fighters arrived in Sydney, Australia, recently, for a campaign in that country, writes that he is in love with the climate and country. Connors has three boys with him—Art Magiri, middleweight; Benny Palmer, lightweight; and Arlos Panning, featherweight.

"We had some trouble on our arrival, owing to having neglected to get our passport," says Bert, "but it did not amount to much. It is a wonderful country here and there is no telling when we will get back. All the boys like the climate, as it seems to agree with them fine, and they are not homesick a bit. I have seen some of the fighters here and cannot say that they strike me as being ahead of our boys. Of course they may be better than what I get on. We can tell better when they clash.

**All Three Get Fights.**  
"Panning fought a fellow named Bert Sarge at Melbourne and he was the best of it till he was disqualified on a foul for hitting in the clinches. Magiri is to fight Dave Smith and Palmer is matched with Herb McCoy. The Australian lightweight champion, The fans here are figuring on giving George Chip a big reception. He will have a big crowd when he fights Les Barry, as the latter is a popular idol here. What they want above all is a match between Jack Dillon and Darcy, or falling in that, then with Mike Gibbons. They are foolish if they do not come over. They would make big money.

**Gilmore Is Touring West.**  
"Fred Gilmore, the Chicago welterweight, who is touring in an automobile to the Pacific coast, with some friends, writes from Seattle that he has been having the time of his life.

He has taken on weight and is now a full fledged middleweight. He has had offers to box along the route, but has declined all matches until he reaches Los Angeles, when he will probably take on a few four round bouts. He will return at a faster clip by auto and then be prepared to get into the boxing game in earnest. Fred has been promised several matches in the west when he gets back from the coast and it is probable that he will go to New York in October or November.

## BOWLING

Binford's team defeated Gring's quartet in a special Cement Plant match on the Cactus alley, Monday night. The scores:

Binford Team—	1st	2d	3d	4th	Total
G. J. Binford	180	210	180	180	750
W. H. Blair	180	180	180	180	720
R. Hart	180	180	180	180	720
G. Brighten	180	180	180	180	720
Totals	720	720	720	720	2880

Gring Team—

1st	2d	3d	4th	Total
K. L. Clark	180	180	180	720
T. C. Anderson	180	180	180	720
Chas. Gring	180	180	180	720
R. H. Henry	180	180	180	720
Totals	720	720	720	2880

Won by Binford team; high game, Gring, 210; high total, Binford, 750.

**WESTERN TRAPSHOTS  
SHOOT AT PORTLAND**  
Portland, Ore., Sept. 12.—With nearly every western state as well as British Columbia represented at the traps, the 11th annual Pacific Coast handicap shooting tournament began here today. Besides numerous trophy and handicap affairs, 250 registered targets are on the program.

Some high scores in close contests were looked for. L. H. Reid, the Seattle professional, who recently completed a run of 215 birds without a miss, was entered to shoot for targets only. Among other crack shots entered are: Frank M. Troch, Peter H. O'Brien and Hainle, Vermont, champions of Washington, Oregon and California, respectively. Rev. J. Richard Olson, of Portland, another participant. The tournament will continue three days.



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